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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, applicants hereby petition that the period for replying subsequent to the Notice of Appeal that was received by the Office on April 27, 2006 be extended for one month, to and including July 27, 2006.

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